



COLLEENE PRECIADO
CHIEF PROBATION OFFICER

Telephone: (714) 569-2000

1535 E. ORANGEWOOD AVENUE
ANAHEIM, CA 92805

MAILING ADDRESS:
P.O. BOX 10260
SANTA ANA, CA 92711-0260

PROBATION DEPARTMENT

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION

Government Code Section 1031, Subdivision(d) provides that each class of public officer or employees declared by law be peace officers shall "Be of good moral character, as determined by a thorough background investigation."

Government Code Section 1031.1, (a) For purposes of performing a thorough background investigation for applicants not currently employed as a peace officer, as required by subdivision(d) of Section 1031, an employer shall disclose employment information relating to a current or former employee, upon request of a law enforcement agency, if all of the following conditions are met:

- (1) The request is made in writing
- (2) The request is accompanied by a notarized authorization by the applicant releasing the employer of liability.
- (3) The request and the authorization are presented to the employer by a sworn officer or other authorized representative of the employing law enforcement agency.

RESPONSES TO INQUIRIES ARE PROTECTED, EVEN IF UNSOLICITED, BY THE ABSOLUTE PRIVILEGE OF CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE §47 AND GOVERNMENT CODE §1031.1(b).

As an applicant with the Orange County Probation Department for a Peace Officer position pursuant to §830.5 of the California Penal Code, I am required to furnish information for use in determining my qualifications, suitability and character.

I hereby authorize the Chief Probation officer or other authorized representative of the Orange County Probation Department, bearing this release, or a copy thereof, to obtain any information in your files pertaining to my local criminal history information, credit and financial information, medical and mental health reports, employment or educational reports, including by not limited to; academic achievement, attendance, athletic, personal history, complaints or grievances, any and all disciplinary records and internal affairs investigations completed or in progress, currently or at the time of separation, including those deemed to be confidential and/or sealed. I further authorize you to release any photocopies requested by the Orange County Probation Department.

I hereby authorize the Orange County Probation department to furnish the information above to third parties for official purposes as authorized by law.

I hereby release you, as the custodian of such records, and any school or other educational institution, hospital or other repository of medical records, credit bureau, lending institution, consumer reporting agency, public agency or private business establishment including its officers, employees or related personnel both individually and collectively, from any and all liability for damage of whatever kind, which may at any time result to me, my heirs, family and associates because of compliance with this authorization and request to release information, or any attempt to comply with it.

I understand that I will not receive the contents of reports determined by law to be privileged.

A PHOTOCOPY OF THIS RELEASE FORM WILL BE AS VALID AS AN ORIGINAL THEREOF, EVEN THOUGH THE SAID PHOTOCOPY DOES NOT CONTAIN AN ORIGINAL WRITING OF MY SIGNATURE.

THIS RELEASE WILL EXPIRE IN 365 DAYS AFTER THE DATE SIGNED.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____
(Signature to be witnessed)

PRINT NAME: _____

State of _____
County of _____
OFFICIAL SEAL

On this the _____ day of _____, 20____, before me
(Name, Title of Officer – E.G., "Jane Doe, Notary Public")

personally appeared _____,
_____ personally known to me or _____, proved to me on the basis of
satisfactory evidence, to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the
within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in
his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the
instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted,
executed the instrument.

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL

Notary's Signature